

Two Studio Employees Killed In Auto Accident

Four Die As Car
Plunges Over Cliff
On Richmond Road

Two employees of the University radio studios and two Lexingtonians were killed yesterday morning, when the car in which they were riding plunged over a cliff and crashed against a concrete culvert at the top of Clay's Ferry hill on Richmond road.

The dead are Chester M. Stratton, 21, chief radio operator and arts and sciences sophomore from Nicholasville; Carl Conner, 22, employee of the U.K. and WLAP studios and a student in the arts and sciences college last year; Mrs. Delores Dragoo Conner, 22, Carl Conner's wife and private nurse at the Good Samaritan hospital; and A. T. Stewart, Jr., 22, student, WLAP employee and a student in the engineering college last year.

Noel Luddy, engineering junior of Lexington, received serious injuries, and Miss Flora Kenney, third-floor supervisor at the Good Samaritan hospital was injured critically. Both were taken to the Pattie A. Clay hospital in Richmond for treatment.

Miss Kenney received emergency treatment and was removed to the Good Samaritan hospital, where it was reported last night that she was still in a serious condition. Diagnosis showed that she had received a broken back and arm.

Conner and his wife, who were married last September, were dead when they reached the hospital. Stratton died shortly after admission, and Stewart succumbed less than two hours later in the Gibson hospital at Richmond.

The car, traveling toward Lexington and driven by Luddy, plunged from the curve at the top of the hill and careened about 75 feet along a bank before striking the culvert at the bottom of a 25-foot depression, State Highway Patrol Sgt. John Allman said.

Roy Price, Tahama, road, Lexington, said that he saw the death car leave the road and travel 25 or 30 feet through the air before plunging to the bottom of the excavation. He also reported that Miss Kenney, Luddy, and Stuart were thrown from the car and that he lifted the others from the demolished machine.

According to Sergeant Allman, the survivors of the accident were unable to tell how the accident occurred.

Wins Kyian

A 1940 Kentuckian was awarded to Frank Bean, Hartford, education college junior, for making the highest score in a test on the history of the University at a meeting of the Committee of 240 at Maxwell Place, Friday night.

The Kentuckian was donated by James S. Shropshire, director of student publications.

Scott's Oil Experiments Interest Army Officials

By BEN WILLIAMS

The new program submitted last week to Congress by President Roosevelt may have a bearing of great importance on the University of Kentucky.

This program, calling for a tremendous increase in the mechanized forces of the United States Army, especially at such places as Ft. Knox, will present problems in the field of lubrication that were entirely without solution until a special student in chemistry on the University campus, Dave Scott, became interested in this field two years ago.

Until last November all work of the research bureau, organized by Scott with the cooperation of the University and the State Department of Highways, was carried on at the University. At that time, space limitations forced the bureau to move to larger quarters on High street.

There, the experiments were carried on to determine what factors caused bearings and gears to wear out and corrode under conditions that should not have caused such damage to machinery.

The conclusion was reached and is now backed by proof that an electrical force generated by moving parts may cause motor parts to corrode, even though absolutely no acidic material may be present in the lubricating oil. This conclusion was without precedent in the automotive industry.

Observations made during the Russo-Finnish war and during the present conflict show that the greatest enemy of any mechanized force is motor trouble, for example, the burning out of bearings. Under the large scale expansion of the United States motorized forces it would be of the utmost importance to solve this and related problems as soon as possible.

'DUKE' JUDGED BEST ENTRY IN DOG SHOW

Dachshund, Owned
By Leo Spence,
Takes First Prize

"Duke," brown and black dachshund owned by Leo Spence of the arts and sciences college, carried off first place as the best entry of 42 canines in The Kernel dog show last Tuesday.

"Black Prince," black cocker spaniel entry of Thomason Bryant, arts and sciences senior, was awarded second place by the judges. Dr. Hobart Ryland, head of the romance languages department; Dr. E. W. Thomas, Lexington veterinarian; and Dr. R. S. Allen, head of the anatomy and physiology department.

First place award was a blue ribbon and a pair of shoes from Baynham's Shoe store, and the second place winner received a red ribbon and a \$5 coupon book donated by the Student Union cafeteria.

Results were:
Large pedigree dogs—first, "Pete," German police dog, owned by John Tuttle; second, "Grunter," airedale, Billy Dyer.

Small pedigree dogs—first, "Duke," second, "Peggy," pomeranian, Ruth Dunbar.

Cocker Spaniels—"Black Prince," no second place award.

Mixed breeds—first, police collie, Billie Raymond; second, fox terrier, Rosetta Wiggins.

Other awards were an Arrow shirt from Graves-Cox company, leash and harness from Smith-Watkins, and a study lamp from the Campus book store.

Approximately 300 persons attended the show, the first to be held on the campus.

Candidates To Assemble For Instruction

Candidates for degrees at June Commencement will assemble Wednesday in Memorial Hall at 3:30 p. m. to receive instructions relative to the procedure to be followed at baccalaureate and the commencement.

Caps and gowns for graduating seniors are now available in the bookstore. James Morris, manager announced yesterday.

Before obtaining the garments the senior fee must be paid at the business office and a \$3 deposit must be made at the bookstore. The \$3 deposit will be returned when the caps and gowns are returned.

ODK President ...



Lafayette Studios

... James W. Wine, Jr., who was elected to head the men's leadership fraternity for 1940-41.

Other officers chosen were Joe Johnson, vice-president; Jim Caldwell, secretary; Prof. M. E. Potter, faculty adviser; Dr. Henri Beaumont, faculty secretary-treasurer; and Ralph Edwards, alumni adviser.

GUIGNOL PLAYS FOR NEXT YEAR ARE ANNOUNCED

Theater Schedules
Drama By Shaw,
Broadway Hits

Guignol theater officials announced yesterday four of the five plays that will be presented during the 1940-41 theatrical season, the 13th under the direction of Prof. Frank Fowler.

"The Women," a comedy of, by, and about women written by Clare Booth, will be presented the week of Oct. 28, 1940.

The second play, "Arms and the Man," by George Bernard Shaw, will run the week of Feb. 10, 1941. This is the well-known "chocolate soldier" story.

Lillian Hellman's "The Little Foxes," built around the machinations of a greedy Southern family, will open March 17, 1941.

"The Philadelphia Story" by Philip Barry, which tries to prove that it is better to be a human being than a plaster saint, will be given the week of April 21, 1941.

"Family Portrait," originally announced as the fifth play of the series, will not be presented. Guignol officials announced.

The third annual Drama Festival of Kentucky colleges will be held March 28-29, 1941, at the Guignol theatre.

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES SET

Program To Honor
UK War Dead

Among the Memorial day services to be conducted throughout Lexington, Thursday, will be the placing of a wreath by the War Mothers on the plaque near the tree planted on the campus in tribute to those University men who died in the World War.

Maj. John E. Brannon, recently returned from the inactive list to the post as a military science instructor in the ROTC department, will speak at the ceremony, at 10:15 a. m.

A ROTC rifle unit will fire a rifle salute in memory to the men to conclude the services, and also at a public memorial service at 3 p. m., at the National cemetery plot in Lexington cemetery.

Camera Clubs Plan Photo Contest

Pictures May Be Taken
During Summer

An amateur photography contest sponsored jointly by the University Photography club, and "Lenshaws," a professional photography society, will be held soon after the beginning of next school year, it has been announced.

The contest is open to all students who have not sold photographs to newspapers or magazines.

Pictures, to be taken between June 1, and October 1, 1940, may be developed and printed either by the contestant, or by a commercial photo finisher.

The judges of the contest and the prizes to be awarded will be announced at a later date.

K Club Initiates

Thirteen University lettermen were initiated by the K Club at its annual dinner-dance Saturday in the Phoenix hotel.

Instead of Desperation...

(An Editorial)

In last Tuesday's issue of THE KERNEL we attempted to picture the war-hysterical trend of thought now increasingly prevalent among our elders, and to verbiify, if possible, the feeling of desperation that is springing up in the minds of this generation because of it. The approaching summer visualized therein was not a pleasant one, but a tortuous one, and we still believe it will be that way—unless some semblance of sanity can creep back into the thoughts of those who control our nation and our destinies.

In a world ruled primarily by force—and brutal force at that—youth is not so foolish as to hold a brief for pacifism. We are just as aware as our parents that any future actions on the part of America must likewise and necessarily include some force. We are aware that the world is not yet ready for international dealings of reason, for the world is not yet populated by rational beings. But we do believe that there must be, in whatever force this nation may apply in the future, some forethought, some planning; something, in short, besides emotional haste.

Almost overnight, Colonel Lindbergh has replaced President Roosevelt as the hero of this generation. We admire him for his coolness and for his courage at standing up in the face of hysteria to point out that the same first step in defense should be to ascertain what one is defending—and to determine then what we shall need to assure this defense and how we shall go about getting it.

NOT NECESSARILY "FOR DEMOCRACY"

Many of our elders hold that England and France are fighting for Democracy and therefore are fighting "our battle". Our generation believes neither to be the case. We agree for the most part, with Vincent Sheean when he points out "England and France—the so-called Democracies—have done everything within their power these past six years to make things easy for fascism."

The British attitude toward China and Japan in 1931, the participation in the butchering of Ethiopia, the betrayal of the Spanish Loyalists, the Munich purchase, the British financing of Hitler's entrance into Czecho-Slovakia, and the Allied munition-makers' perennial willingness to enrich themselves by selling armaments to the fascist nations—all these contributed to the money-making stabbing-in-the-back of European Democracy. And the coup de grace to it all was administered last week when England herself adopted a fascism of necessity—a fascism that will never be completely cast aside, even if it should bring "victory" in the long run.

In spite of all this, we want to see the Allies win this war. We still hold a great deal of respect for the British and French ways of life, and we speak the same language as the English. However, we of this generation were not living back when the British and French empires were glamorous and more respectable. We have beheld them realistically, only since they have become flushed with the spoils of World War I and economically scheming and willing to nourish, for the profit in it, their illegitimate child, fascism.

Therefore, we think it is more of an issue of the lesser of two evils than one of Democracy, but we still want to see an Allied victory. However, we believe that all the hysteria in the world will not help. And we are aware that if the Allies are to be defeated, it will be within the next few weeks—before we could possibly send them aid worth mention. Britain has all the navy the Allies need. We admittedly have a dwarfed and obsolescent army, so there could be no immediate help there.

In case the Allies manage to parry the critical Nazi push and can hold out, the U. S. might ship them warplanes built by stepped-up production lines—airplanes to be flown by Allied manpower, of which we are assured there is a sufficiency.

And even if the Allies should be defeated, does it necessarily mean that the results will be catastrophic as far as we are concerned?

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Virginia Smith ...



Herald-Leader

... Kappa Kappa Gamma, U. K. representative, who reigned as queen of the Mountain Laurel Festival at Pineville last week-end. She was chosen from a group of nineteen coeds.

Dorothy Hillenmeyer Chosen To Reign Over Senior Ball

LEGISLATURE OKAYS AMENDED PROCEDURE

Senate Requested
To Ask For CAA
For University

With two amendments approved and one defeated, the procedure bill, setting up a formal method of legislation in the Student Government association, was passed last week, and will go into effect immediately.

Plans for installing a permanent Student Government association office, probably in room 127 of the Union, were announced, and a resolution requesting the University senate to accept the program of the Civil Aeronautics Authority for the 1940-41 term was adopted.

As authorized by an open vote of students at the last student government election, the legislature also approved a resolution requesting that spring vacation for 1941 be held at Easter rather than at KEA.

An appropriation to be used to bring art exhibits to the University was tabled, pending the treasurer's report.

Members absent from the meeting last Tuesday were Horlacher, Pierston, Smith, and Trent. There will be no more meetings this year.

According to the procedure bill amendments, introduced by Roy Tooms, law college representative, it will take a majority rather than a two-thirds vote to suspend the rules and discharge the rules committee from consideration of a bill. Another article of the bill refers to the Rules committee unless the majority vote is taken.

The second amendment refused the Rules committee the power to make amendments to any bill in their hands, but refers to them the right to suggest amendments to the legislature. The article amended had granted the committee the power to "make such amendments . . . as it may deem proper."

A third amendment, removing the requirement that all members present should vote every time a vote was called, was defeated. Under the plan in effect, every member will be required to vote, his vote being recorded alphabetically for publication.

Geology Honorary Elects Wood

Boyer Wood, Lexington, was elected to succeed Jack Bleidt, also of Lexington, as president of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, honorary geology fraternity, at a meeting Thursday night.

Other officers elected were Ben Ploch, Henderson, vice president and historian, and John Walsh, Cynthiana, secretary and treasurer. The retiring secretary and treasurer is George Prichard of Corbin.

Seven Military Students To Receive ROTC Honors

Ramsey Wins
American Legion,
Rotary Awards

Seven University military students have been selected to receive ROTC awards to be presented at the annual Field day graduation exercises at 6:30 p. m., Wednesday, on Stoll Field, Lieut. Col. Howard Donnelly, announced yesterday.

Those selected for the awards are: Cadet Col. Lloyd Brinkley Ramsey, winner of the Rotary Club trophy, awarded annually to the graduating member of the second year advanced ROTC course as excelling in the requirements of good citizenship.

Cadet Col. Ramsey, winner of the American Legion cup, Man O' War Post, awarded to the outstanding graduating cadet officer "possessing in marked degree those inherent qualities necessary in the making of an officer and a gentleman."

Cadet Maj. Thomson Ripley Bryant, winner of the Reserve officers association trophy, awarded to the graduating member having the highest standing in all his University work.

Cadet Maj. James Olin Bell, winner of the Phoenix hotel trophy, awarded to the cadet of the second year advanced course having the highest average in military science for the academic year, 1939-40.

Cadet Sgt. Roy Winston Mullis, winner of the Lafayette hotel trophy, awarded to the member of the first year advanced course having the highest average military science for the academic year 1939-40.

Cadet Corp. Albert Joseph Spore, winner of the Kiwanis trophy, awarded to the member of the second year basic course having the highest average in military science for the academic year 1939-40.

She'll Reign



Lafayette Studios

EXAM SCHEDULE

(For Law examinations, see schedule posted in Lafferty hall.)

Thursday—1st hour classes
Friday—2nd hour classes
Saturday—3rd hour classes
Monday—4th hour classes
Tuesday—5th hour classes
Wednesday—6th hour classes
Thursday—7th and 8th hour classes

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday classes will be examined in the morning, beginning at 8:30. Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday classes will be examined in the afternoon, starting at 2 o'clock.

CLOUD TO HEAD PERSHING RIFLES

Sellers, Brown,
Webb Also Chosen

Robert Cloud, commerce junior from Louisville, has been elected captain of Company C of Pershing Rifles. It was announced at the organization's banquet and dinner dance held last night at the Lexington Country club.

Others officers are Oscar Sellers, arts and science junior from Paducah, first lieutenant; and Chester Brown, agriculture sophomore from Shelbyville, and Joseph Webb, engineering junior from Louisville, second lieutenants. The new officers will be installed officially at the field day military graduating exercises.

The retiring officers are J. O. Bell, captain; Robert Scott, first lieutenant; and William Drummy and J. P. Rose, second lieutenants. More than 100 persons attended the social affair at which Pres. Frank L. McVey, Maj. William S. Barrett, and the four retiring officers spoke.



Courtesy Lafayette Studio
LLOYD B. RAMSEY

winner of the Kiwanis trophy, awarded to the member of the second year basic course having the highest average in military science for the academic year 1939-40.

Cadet Corp. Maurice Edward Mitchell, winner of the Lions trophy, awarded to the member of the ROTC rifle team designated as the most outstanding shot.

Cadet Corp. Richard K. Young, winner of the Pershing Rifles trophy, awarded to the member of the first year basic course having the highest average in military science for the academic year 1939-40.

The Scabbard and Blade cup will be presented to the winner of the (Continued on Page Two)

Abel, Stidham To Be Attendants At Dance June 5

Dorothy Hillenmeyer, Delta Delta Delta, will reign as queen of the Senior Ball from 9 p. m. to midnight, Wednesday, June 5, in the Bluegrass room. She was chosen from a group of 10 candidates by senior men in an election last Tuesday.

Margaret Abel and Carolyn Stidham, Independents, were selected as attendants to Miss Hillenmeyer.

The queen will be crowned by C. P. Johnson, member of the Senior Ball committee, during a brief ceremony at 10:15 p. m.

Bids for the ball will be distributed by Tommy Rusk, commerce senior, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Wednesday, May 29, at the Union information desk, a committee member announced. Seniors will receive one date and one stag bid and juniors will receive one date bid. Light Will Play

Enoch Light and his 13-piece orchestra will furnish the music for the dance. An internationally-famous violinist and conductor, Light brings his band directly from New York city's Hotel Taft where he has been featured four times weekly for 20 months on the CBS and Mutual networks.

Featured with Light's orchestra is Peggy Mann, his dynamic vocalist who specializes in blues. Other vocalists are George Hines, romantic singer and guitarist, and Smith Howard, who is also a drummer and comedian.

Also in the Light repertoire are three group attractions, the "Light Brigade," top-raking swing sextet; the "Dream Weavers," melodious quintet; and the "Ocarina Trio," novelty instrumentalists.

'KEEP US OUT' STUDENTS URGE

Telegrams Sent
To FDR, Senators

Telegrams urging that every effort be made to keep the United States out of war and copies of resolutions denouncing the President's armaments defense speech to Congress were dispatched last week to President Roosevelt and Kentucky's senators Alben W. Barkley and A. B. Chandler, by student representatives of campus groups.

Jim Caldwell, editor of The Kernel, wired as follows:

"Speaking on behalf of the student body of the University of Kentucky, whom I represent and whose overwhelming support I have, I urge you to dispel the hysteria now sweeping the nation and to keep these United States out of war—whether it be England's, France's or anybody's."

Adopted by approximately 40 persons at the anti-war rally Friday, the ASU resolution was also forwarded to Kentucky's representatives by Peter A. Gragis, president. It stated that:

"We, the students of the University of Kentucky consider the recent speeches of the President, and the undue haste on the part of Congress to rush through vast armament appropriations a probable cause for our involvement in Europe's War."

"We demand an immediate cessation of the efforts of the President and Congress to create such war-mongering hysteria."

"We demand that no loans or credits be advanced to either of the belligerents and that the United States cease aiding the warring powers by immediately ending the flow of bombers and other instruments of death across the Atlantic."

Y Board Meets, Elects Leaders

Fergus Will Chairman
Group For Coming Year

Members of the YMCA board of directors held their final meeting of the year Thursday, May 23, at the home of Dr. Huntley Dupre, retiring board chairman.

Leaders of the Board elected for the coming year were E. N. Fergus, chairman; Professor Amos Eblen, vice-chairman; Prof. Henry Moore, treasurer; and George Terrell, secretary.

The board membership consists of faculty members, business men, and students. New members elected to the board are Prof. Lysle Croft and Dr. Henry Moore.

Re-elected directors are Mr. LeRoy Miles and Mr. A. L. Atchison. New student members are William Karraker, William Landford, Tommy Bowling, and Morry Holcomb.

Retiring officers are Dr. Huntley Dupre, chairman; Mr. A. L. Atchison, vice-chairman; Prof. William Tolman, treasurer; and William Karraker, secretary.

Many Senior Parties Planned For Commencement Week

Graduating Class Will Be Feted At Teas, Lunches

Many parties have been planned for the graduating seniors during Commencement week. The following parties have been scheduled:

Wednesday afternoon, June 5, Dean Sarah Blanding and Dean Sarah Holmes have planned a tea from 4 to 6 o'clock at Riverside Farm in honor of the graduating women seniors.

Wednesday night, at 9 o'clock the Senior Ball will be given with Enoch Light and his orchestra furnishing the music.

Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock President and Mrs. McVey will give their annual breakfast at Maxwell Place for those receiving degrees.

The Commencement luncheon is planned for 12:30 o'clock Friday at the Student Union building. Guests will include graduating seniors, friends, alumni, and faculty of the University.

Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock President and Mrs. McVey will entertain with a tea at Maxwell Place in honor of the alumni, faculty, seniors, and guests of the graduating class.

The climax of Commencement week will be the Commencement Exercises on Stoll field at 6:30 Friday night, June 7, with Dr. McVey delivering the address.

Annual Dinner

The 36th annual dinner for all senior engineers and faculty members of the engineering department will be held at Boonesboro on May 30. It was announced yesterday.

The program will consist of a baseball game at 2:30 p. m. between the faculty and the seniors and a banquet at 7:30 p. m. at the Boonesboro Beach hotel.

The Bloomer Girls, Cleveland, O., won the Women's softball championship in 1935.

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John Courtney ...



... is general chairman of the Scabbard and Blade dinner-dance to be held tonight at the Lexington Country club.

SCOTT'S WORK

(Continued from Page One) that the University may become one of the centers of governmental oil research. It already has one of the leading state experimental organizations in the country.

The staff of 60 workers with a technical staff composed almost entirely of University graduates or associates has pushed its research up to a 24 hour basis, working in four shifts of six hours each, at the same time training mechanics and laboratory assistants.

During the last war in which the United States was engaged the University was a center of training. Should the country be drawn into a second conflict it now appears that the campus would be a center of experiment as well.

Students, Faculty Aroused By Cheating Investigation

Dean Boyd Calls Attention To Rule Passed By Senate

Dr. Paul P. Boyd, dean of the arts and sciences college, said in an interview yesterday that recent investigations of classroom cheating by Student Government and YM-YW groups have "resulted in the good students and the non-cheaters in the University becoming considerably aroused because the cheaters are taking an unfair advantage in getting better grades for less work."

Dean Boyd interpreted this rising opinion as being a "good sign," and said that cheating is "largely a matter of student morale, and will not be reduced to a minimum unless the students themselves take the matter up."

He reminded students there is a rule on the books of the University Senate dealing with classroom cheating, which reads as follows:

"All cases of cheating shall be reported to the head of the department in which the cheating occurs, who shall immediately investigate the circumstances and in conference

TINCHER WINS ESSAY CONTEST

Runyan Is Second In Competition

Marvin M. Tinchier, Richmond, won the first prize of \$60 in the Burkan competition for the best essay on some phase of copyright law. It was announced yesterday. Tinchier's essay dealt with "Infringement of Copyright."

Charles W. Runyan, Marion, who wrote on "Immorality and Indecency in Musical and Literary Compositions," was awarded the second prize of \$40. Mr. Rufus Lisle, Lexington attorney, judged the papers. The competition, open only to senior law students, is conducted by the American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers, in memory of Nathan Burkan.

Trimble To Speak

Dr. E. G. Trimble, associate professor of political science, will deliver the principal address at the dedicatory ceremonies of a bronze tablet honoring 192 Revolutionary War soldiers, known to have been buried in Fayette county, at 3 p. m. Thursday, at the east side of the Lexington court house steps.

Add Rutherford

Any Rutherford, Lexington, was initiated into Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman women's honorary, Sunday, May 19. Miss Rutherford's name was omitted from the list of initiates appearing in an earlier issue of The Kernel.

Taylor Will Talk

Dr. W. S. Taylor, dean of the education college, will address eighth grade graduating students of six Woodford county schools at 10:30 a. m. Friday in the Versailles high school auditorium.

There are 36,213 females gainfully employed in the state of Kentucky.

Alumni Invited To Attend Meet

Dear Alumni.

It has been both a privilege and pleasure, as well as a great honor, for your secretary to write the Alumni news throughout the past year. We only hope and trust that you have enjoyed reading the news as much as we have enjoyed writing it; it is with sadness and sorrow that we ring down the curtains on the Alumni column for this year. You will receive the next issue of The Kernel sometime in September. Do you want to miss a single issue? If not, please send in your Alumni dues, if you haven't already done so.

This year, we are having reunions for the classes of "5" and "0". We are anxious to see the smiling faces of the returning Alumni. Will you be present for all the Alumni activities of June 6 and 7th? It will be a great event this year, even greater than those reunions of the past, meeting your old classmates, discussing the new changes that have taken place on the campus, talking of old-times, etc.

We are looking forward to hearing from you and always welcome any comments or criticisms. We wish you the best of luck and all the happiness possible in the years to follow.

Your Secretary,
Robert K. Salyers

UK Librarians Attending Meet

Delegates Travel To Cincinnati

Seventeen delegates are representing the University at the 62nd annual conference of the American Library association which opened in Cincinnati Sunday and will close Saturday.

Attending are Miss Margaret King, Virginia Michaels, Catherine Katterjohn, Elizabeth Hanson, Besse Boughton, Artie Lee Taylor, Jacqueline Bull, Norma Cass, Helen Fry, Margaret Tuttle, Grace Snodgrass, Mrs. J. C. Eaves, Mrs. Carl Stutsman, Mrs. Lyle Croft, Mrs. Henry Hornsby, Mrs. Merrill Sullivan, and Mrs. Lucy Gragg Wood.

Miss King, chief University librarian and 1940 chairman of the agricultural libraries section, will preside at the annual section meeting this afternoon.

Carl M. Clark, assistant in markets at the experiment station, will present a paper on "Building a Collection in Farm Economics." Miss Snodgrass, experiment station librarian, will participate in a panel discussion.

On Saturday morning Mrs. Wood will present a paper on the "Littlest Un," at the School Libraries section. Kentucky librarians and those out of the state who were formerly connected with Kentucky libraries will be guests at a breakfast at 8 a. m. Thursday at the Netherlands Plaza. Miss Tuttle is chairman of the breakfast.

MILITARY AWARDS

(Continued from Page One) individual drill competition to be held on the field.

Colonel Donnelly designated as honor graduates of the department Cadet Major Bell, Cadet Colonel Ramsey, Cadet Major Bryant, Cadet Capt. George Philip Carter, Cadet Capt. Robert Louis Dickerson, Cadet Lieut. Col. William J. Drummy, Cadet Lieut. Marshall Beck Guthrie, Cadet Capt. Roger Lee Lyons, and Cadet Lieut. Col. Robert L. Scott.

This is the first time that the exercises have been held at night under floodlights on Stoll field. Eight floodlights will be installed on top of the pressbox to illuminate the field as was done a couple of weeks ago during the Pershing Rifles drill meet.

The regiment will assemble at 6:30 p. m., and soon after pass in review preceded by the University band. After the reviewing, to be held in honor of President Frank L. McVey, retiring July 1, and other distinguished visitors, the regiment will assemble in regimental formation, and various exhibitions will follow.

Moss Presented History Award

Lillian Moss, a senior from Williamsburg, was presented the annual award which Phi Alpha Theta, national honorary history fraternity, gives to the graduating senior with the highest standing in British and European history. Miss Moss has a standing in history of 2.9 and a general standing of 2.4.

The award, which is a silver pitcher, was presented by Dr. J. Huntley Dupre of the history department at the tea given by Tau chapter of Phi Alpha Theta in the Union Music room yesterday afternoon.

Guests at the tea were Dr. and Mrs. Frank L. McVey and guests, faculty of the history department and their wives, and seniors graduating from the history department. Mrs. Grace Weber and Mrs. Mildred Guthrie, both graduates of the University, presided at the tea table.

Brooklyn vs. Boston: 26 innings, Boston, May 1, 1920. Longest game ever recorded ... Score 1:1; game called on account of darkness after 3 hours, 20 minutes of play.

The Social Whirl

Pershing Riflemen Give Dinner-Dance

The members of Pershing Rifles entertained with a dinner Monday night at the Lexington Country club.

Guests were the staff of the military department, the Pershing Rifle company, and the visiting officers who are inspecting the University's company. A saber was presented to J. O. Bell, captain of the company.

A dance was held following the dinner for the members of Pershing Rifle and their dates. Corsages and favors were presented to the dates.

Zeta Tau Alphas Give Dinner-Dance

Alpha Chi of Zeta Tau Alpha held a dinner-dance at the Ashland Country club Friday night.

The motif of decoration was the sorority coat of arms in the colors, turquoise and silver, and the table centerpieces were of spring flowers. Alma Barnard, social chairman, was in charge of arrangements.

Dates of the actives and pledges were Karl Michler, Tafer Barnes, Homer Phoenix, Ed Davis, Henry Diecks, Bob Brooks, Ed Pippin, Steve Graben, Joe Bohnak, Lewis Cottingham, Jimmy Collier, John Kerr, and Bob Carlan.

Chaperones were Mrs. J. M. Collier, Mrs. T. W. Sweat and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Myers.

Chi Os Honor Rushees With Steak Fry

The members of Chi Omega entertained with a steak fry Friday night at Grimes Mill in honor of 10 rushees and their dates.

Dismore Davis, social chairman, was in charge of the arrangements for the party.

Alpha Xis Honor Rushees With Breakfast

The members of Alpha Xi Delta entertained with a breakfast Sunday morning on the terrace of the Ashland Golf club in honor of 40 rushees.

Ann Spicer, rush chairman; Alice MacGaughey, Frances Williams, and Dorothy Beeler composed the committee in charge of arrangements.

Delta Chis Elect Officers

The following members of Delta Chi have been elected officers for the coming year: Charles Stidham, Nelson Hoskins, James Snowden, Roy McBrayer, William Carroll, and George Land.

Tri-Delts Honor Dot Hillenmeyer

The actives and pledges of Delta Delta Delta entertained with a buffet supper and miscellaneous shower Wednesday night in honor of Dorothy Hillenmeyer.

Ann Caskey and Mary Bell were in charge of arrangements for the supper. The house was decorated with spring flowers and lighted tapers and the table held a large wedding cake.

Fogle-Cluggish Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fogle, of Corbin, announce the marriage of their daughter, Billie, to Mr. Stanley Cluggish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cluggish, of Kutawa and Corbin. The wedding took place March 2, 1939, Jeffersonville, Ind. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cluggish are students at the University and he is a member of the varsity basketball team.

Pi Kaps Plan Get Together Dinner

The actives and pledges of Pi Kappa Alpha will entertain with a get together dinner Saturday night at the chapter house.

The decorations and menu will be carried out in garnet and gold, the fraternity's colors. Pete Smith, Billy Sugg, and Harry Zimmerman will be in charge of the arrangements.

Kappa Sigs To Honor Rushees' Mothers

The actives and pledges of Kappa Sigma will entertain this afternoon with a tea from 4 to 5 o'clock at the chapter house in honor of

the mothers of Lexington rushees. Spring flowers will decorate the tea table at which Mrs. Trapnell Jones, housemother, will preside. Those who will assist are Betty Bottoff, Mary Jane Watt, Helen Horlacher, Glenna Ballard, Ruth Ware, Virginia Williamson, Betty Rose, Mary Phillips, Jeanne Barker, Babe Combs, Susan Jackson, Helen Babbitt, and Elna Winkler.

Kappa Sigs Fete Rushees At Clifton

The actives and pledges of Kappa Sigma entertained with a steak fry Sunday night at Clifton in honor of rushees.

Ewan Phillips, Howard Davis, and George Terrell were in charge of the arrangements.

K Club Entertains With Dinner-Dance

The members of the K club entertained with a dinner and program dance Saturday night in the Ballroom of the Phoenix hotel.

The Blue and White orchestra furnished the music for the occasion. Spring flowers decorated the small tables. Programs given to the dates were carried out in blue and white. About 100 people were present.

Lambda Chis Give Picnic At Boonesboro

The actives and pledges of Lambda Chi Alpha entertained with a picnic Saturday at Boonesboro.

Mrs. W. P. Reed, housemother was in charge of the arrangements for the party.

Dates of the actives and pledges were Betty Kingston, Helen Page, Juliette Bryson, Gladys Harkness, Jane Rice, Mary Helen Storie, Martha Hixon, Betty Sexton, Margaret Clark, Virginia Ferguson, Geneva Sego, Dorothy Baker, Georgia Sudarth, Helen Robinson, Geneva House, and Jean Reynolds.

AGRs Give Dinner For Graduating Seniors

The members of Alpha Gamma Rho entertained Sunday night at the chapter house with a dinner in honor of the graduating seniors.

Spring flowers were used as decorations. Thomas Spickard, Frank Cox, and John Clore were in charge of the arrangements.

Guests of honor were O. D. Hawkins, Robert Booten, Louis Clark, Bern Fowler, Frank Frazier, John Gay, Arthur Harney, Billy Smoot, and Jimmy Stokes.

Alpha Xis Honor Seniors With Picnic

The actives and pledges of Alpha Xi Delta entertained with a picnic Saturday afternoon at Herrington lake in honor of the graduating seniors.

Ann Spicer, social chairman, was in charge of the arrangements. Guests of honor were Emily Clay, Jean Lawson, Edith Mae Giltner, Natalie Dye, Evelyn Ewan, and Levanie Lewis.

KDs Honor Rushees With Buffet Supper

The members of Kappa Delta entertained with a buffet supper Saturday night at the chapter house in honor of 25 rushees.

Spring and summer flowers were used as decorations throughout the house. Dorothy Preston and Pat Pennebaker were in charge of arrangements.

The tables were decorated with bouquets of spring and summer flowers. Angeline Wyatt and Ann Caskey were in charge of the arrangements.

The guests of honor were Dorothy Hillenmeyer, Margaret Ann Rodes, Eve Cramer Crutcher, Florence Justice, Ruth Sanger, Sarah Biggs, Martha Hume, Betty Elliott, Lois Sullivan, Harriet Woods, and Betsy Covington.

Charles Stidham ...



... has been elected president of Delta Chi.

Other officers are Nelson Hoskins, vice-president; Roy McBrayer, treasurer; James Snowden, secretary; William Carroll, corresponding secretary; and George Land, sergeant-at-arms.

Kappa House Girls Honor Seniors

The house girls of Kappa Gamma entertained with a dinner Wednesday night at the chapter house in honor of the graduating seniors.

Ann McMullin acted as toastmistress and introduced the speaker, Mimi Wiedeman who presented the seniors with Kappa diplomas. Mary Ellen Mendenhall read a farewell poem.

Spring flowers were used as decorations. Mrs. George Newman, housemother, and Glenna Ballard, social chairman, were in charge of the arrangements for the party.

SuKy Entertains With Dinner-Dance

The members of Sukey honored their new members with a dinner-dance Wednesday night at the Ashland Country club.

Summer flowers decorated the tables, arranged throughout the dining room. About 100 guests were present.

Montgomery-Kouns Nuptials Date Set

Miss Mary King Montgomery, instructor in physical education, has chosen the date of June 13 for her marriage to Dr. John Kouns. The ceremony will be read by Dr. A. W. Fortune in Central Christian church at 8 p. m.

Pledged.....

To Kentucky of Delta Chi—David Scherrard, of Berea.
To Kappa of Phi Kappa Tau—Donald Lail and Brooks Coons of Lexington.

Social Briefs

Lambda Chi Alpha

Dinner guests the past week at the chapter house were Jane Rice, Betty Roberts, Jean Reynolds, and Georgia Sudarth. Guests at the house over the weekend were George Farris, W. J. Ewen, Clyde Bowman, Lee Bowling, Ralph Salyer, and Curt Howard.

Alpha Tau Omega

Recent dinner guests at the house were Sheila Robertson, Orel Ruth, Betty Rose, Juliette Bryson, Maramatha Lisk, Adelaide Ritz, Mary Louise Weisenberger, Marcia Willing, Glenna Barnes, Mary LaBach, and Lida Garred. Red Simpson and Tiny Perry were guests at the house during the past week. Fred Fischer, of Louisville, was a guest at the house over the weekend.

Kappa Delta

Jean Whelan, of Bardonia, and Gladys McDaniels, of Louisville, were guests at the house Saturday.

Zeta Tau Alpha

Agnes McGuire and June Cooper, of Cincinnati, and Anne Parks, of Louisville, visited at the house Sunday. Frances Dale spent the weekend at her home in Shelbyville. Sara Fisher, Alma Barnard, and Laveria Warner spent Sunday in Somerset.

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Davis; Bob called one of his many women the other p. m. for a date, but it was no go ... she had just gotten married.
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Overheard in the Grill...

After a big night down at Hughes place on the Ky. River, Sandy Alversen beat a hasty retreat from etymology class the other morning when the word "nausea" came up. We dip the quill in salute to Paul Lederidge, who this past week put the pin on Mary Anne Faubach; Henryetta Hall and John Haggin Cooper are reportedly on the skids ... and Barbara Rehm has another Tom in the circuit—Tom Boyle of Sig affiliations.
Dave Zoeller, grid flash, put the marriage act on over the week-end, with his flame of years standing ... Reggie Palmore is planning south this summer to see Peg Tallman ... true love, and all that; Floyd Dickerson has entered Lida Belle Howe's interest, with former faith Sam Ewing looking over Libby Cruise way; Betty Bottoff thinks she has Charlie Byer wrapped around her finger ... she's wrong; Johnny Conrad has sworn off queens for good ... Ted Meyer and Mary Jane Watt are picking up where they left off before ... but Percy Adair and Betty Phelps have cooled; Virginia Williamson is telling it that she is secretly married ... if you don't quit telling, it won't be secret much longer.

Eddie David and his gal from L'ville are planning things ... legal things ... and Billy Robison is promising matrimony in August; Sid Taylor blushes when Lucy Elliott calls him "Cutie Pie" and that pledge pin that Jack Bradfute has been saying was lost is really being worn by his gal-back-home Jacqueline Fisher ... and Lee Huber finally put the badge on Ruth Ware; Milburn Keith and Cappy Porch are smiling around a lot lately.
A nice faithful romance running around the campus is that of George Spragens and Janet Ferguson, who have been courting since frosh days ... they both graduate next week ... more parties being given this year than previously ... more of them either on the River or on the Lake ... lots of them are down at Hughes' camp on the Ky. ... a honey ... among those still comparatively faithful are Jane Baynham and Bob Hansen, Jean Mahan and Rollins Wood, Frank Roberts and Pat Puryear, Harry Alexander and Pat Pennebaker, Bob McGill and A. H.

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Tribute Is Paid to Dr. and Mrs. Frank L. McVey for 23 Years of Service to UK

Dear Dr. McVey:

The students at the University of Kentucky wish to acknowledge the sedulous endeavors and service you have rendered the University and the State, as an educator, a scholar, an economist and especially as the fifth president of the University of Kentucky.

We realize that your manifest ability to fulfill executive duties has elevated the University from a small institution to one which emulates with the best in the South.

Your gracious and generous entertaining has given to Maxwell Place a charm which will linger long after your departure.

Like any university president you will be remembered for the part that you have played in making the history of the University, but we who are here today will remember YOU.

Sincerely,

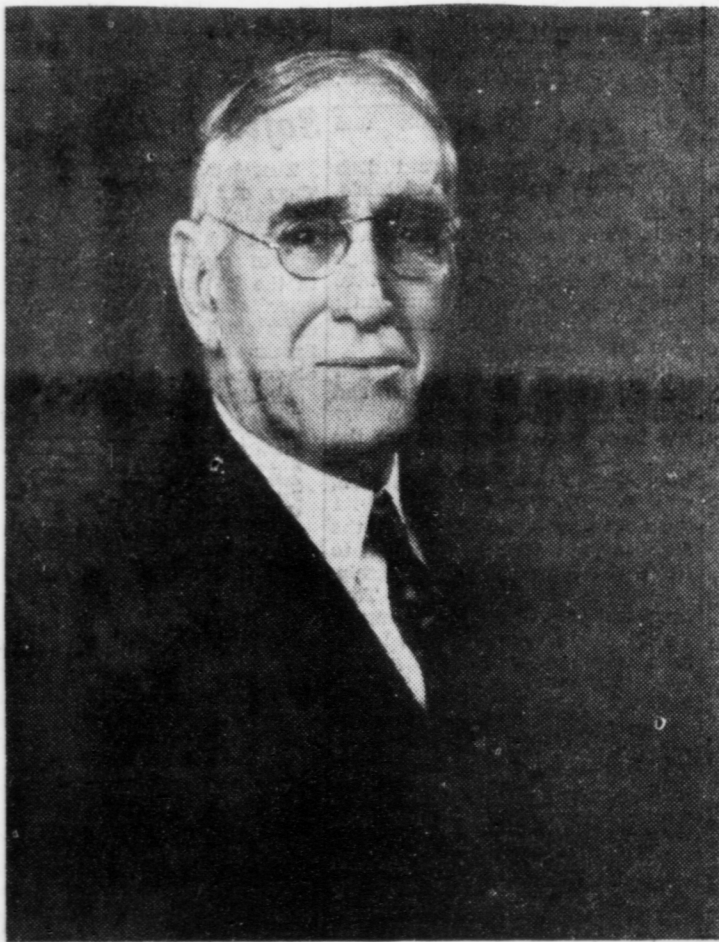
Robert V. Allen
President, Student Body

Dear Dr. McVey:

The Alumni association and the staff of the Alumni office, cognizant of your service to the University and the State during twenty-three years as President, wish to take this opportunity to express their sincere appreciation.

Your contribution to the University, not only through its increase in enrollment and physical plant, but in the deepening of its scholastic spirit and its loyalty, is immeasurable.

William W. Blanton
President, Alumni Association
Robert K. Salyers
Alumni Secretary



Lafayette Photo

(An Editorial)

The highest tribute that can possibly be made to almost a quarter of a century of McVey leadership on the UK campus would be, we think, simply to mention the University itself. We were not around, of course, when the President took over in 1917, but from all we have read and heard of it, it wasn't very large then, and wasn't possessed of any nation-shaking renown.

Doctor McVey has put twenty-three years of thought and work into the process, which accounts for most of this progress. But there is also an additional something that went into it. If we were making a flowery testimonial speech, we might be tempted to call that something "spirit", for that is probably the best word for it. It is that something which Doctor McVey instilled in the institution when he defined a university—and thereby set up a standard for higher education which lesser men would have found discouragingly lofty.

"A University," the President said, "is a place; it is a spirit. It is men of learning; it is a collection of books; it is laboratories where work in science goes forward; it is the source of the teaching and beauties of literature and the arts; it is the center where ambitious youth gathers to learn; it protects the traditions, honors the new and tests its value; it believes in truth; it protests against error, and leads men by reason rather than by force.

Thanks to President and Mrs. McVey, we are well on the road to having a University of these standards. The least we can do in the future is to try to hold and improve upon the progress they have made.



Lafayette Photo

By MARGUERITE McLAUGHLIN

Frances Jewell McVey was endowed by nature with many gifts, as others have been, but few indeed have enhanced their own value by distributing their talents as has this magnificent personality, the first lady of the University of Kentucky.

Influenced by her home, her education and her faith Mrs. McVey, with utter unselfishness, has given much in the justification of an existence on which far too many demands are frequently made.

Truly a southerner she enjoys to the fullest the beauties of life and of companionship. Her reputation as a hostess, gracious and bounteous, has gone far beyond the hills and valleys of her own state. For her accomplishments in this matter alone she is justly admired by men, and approved and lovingly envied by women.

On a foundation of understanding and admiration, a shrine of devotion and sweet recollections has been erected to her in the hearts of her colleagues and today we applaud her as the ideal of every Kentuckian.

I want to thank Dr. and Mrs. McVey, members of the faculty and staff, as well as the student body for their contributions toward making my stay at the University of Kentucky a very pleasant and profitable one.

Hoping that some day I shall be able to show my gratitude, I take this opportunity to say goodbye.

Angela Arruda
(Exchange student from Brazil)

'Things Began To Happen' When McVey Took Hold Of UK's Executive Reins

Improvements And Progress Have Been Made Under His Reign

By VINCENT CROWDUS

Dr. Frank LeRond McVey, after serving 23 years as president of the University, will retire July 1 within four months of his 71st birthday. The retirement plan, which states that faculty members shall be retired at the age of 70, was inaugurated by Doctor McVey himself. He reached that age last November 10, but consented to serve out the full 1939-40 school year.

A wise executive, a broad-minded educator, a profound scholar, Doctor McVey was elected to the presidency on August 15, 1917, to succeed Judge Henry S. Barker. As he was engaged at the time in preparing a study of war finances for the government in Washington, he did not assume his new duties until September 15.

When he entered office, President McVey was confronted with a faculty torn by dissension; a University in a run-down condition; a state legislature reluctant to meet the University's financial demands; and a state apathetic to education.

But with a background of experience as president of the University of North Dakota since 1909, Doctor McVey was well qualified to handle the problems. And, as the late Prof. Enoch Grehan related in a tenth anniversary dinner-address in 1927, "things began to happen 30 days after McVey took hold of the executive reins of the University."

The new president's program included the adoption of University and athletic constitutions; formation of the faculty senate and council of deans; campus beautification; additions to faculty, curricula, and equipment; and encouragement of research.

Many Changes Made
Comparison of the physical and material aspects of 1917 with the present shows that during Doctor McVey's reign the University has grown from 100 to 600 percent in every phase.

Enrollment for the regular terms has increased from 719 students to almost 3,800; out-of-state registration from 34 to over 500; library volumes, 33,869 to approximately 254,000, with a law library collection of legal books and documents valued at \$150,000; administrative and instructional personnel, 115 to more than 450 members; degrees, from 16 to 35; and legislative appropriations from \$440,000 to more than \$2,000,000.

When the 47-year-old North Dakota executive transferred to Kentucky, there were no colleges of education and commerce here. These he soon added. The schools of civil engineering, mechanical and electrical engineering, and mining and metallurgy, which had operated as separate units, were combined into

the college of engineering. Buildings Are Added

During the 23 years of President McVey's administration, campus buildings have increased from 24 to 42, excluding some minor constructions on the experiment station farm. Buildings, erected at a cost of approximately \$3,500,000, include Maxwell Place, engineering shops, men's and women's dormitories; gymnasium, stadium, chemistry building, stock judging pavilion, Art Center, McVey hall, Memorial hall, education building, dairy building, Lafferty hall, Student Union building, central heating plant, biological sciences building, library, agricultural engineering building, and the nearly-completed home economics building.

Meets The Depression

Listed as one of President McVey's finest accomplishments during the past quarter century is his masterful administration of the University during the depression years.

At one time, with no state appropriation and only the usual per centum from property and inheritance taxes as an income, the faculty and staff received only \$100 each for two months, and no salary at all for an additional two months.

As James Park, alumnus member of the Board of Trustees, has said, "The test of Doctor McVey's great-

ness came when he was called upon to, and did, secure and hold the cooperation of his faculty and staff to carry on the work of the University for four months with only \$200 each of salary."

It is said that when President McVey appeared before the faculty and told them that their salaries would be reduced 50 percent, he was roundly applauded.

Honored Locally
Because of his courage, leadership, and guidance during this crisis, President McVey was awarded the Lexington Optimist club cup in 1932 "as the citizen having performed the outstanding service to the community." The presentation was greeted with prolonged applause and two standing ovations.

In 1938 a plaque, presented by students, alumni, and friends and sponsored by Omicron Delta Kappa, men's leadership fraternity, was unveiled on the library in tribute to the University's great president, educator, artist, and author.

Judge Richard C. Stoll, chairman of the Board of Trustees, said at the unveiling: "I regard the selection of Doctor McVey as president the best thing that has happened to the University in its entire history."

Doctor and Mrs. McVey are now constructing a home in Tacoma Park.

Testimonial Written For University Faculty

President Frank L. McVey University of Kentucky

I greeted you first in the hotel in Chicago, in the summer of 1917, when the committee met you to talk about the presidency of the University. You looked good to us and we felt that our troubles as "Head-Hunters" were over. Now, after twenty-three years as a representative of your faculty, I greet you again.

We needed your experience and good judgment and devotion very much in those days, and we have needed you in all the years that followed. Under your leadership we have been doing things worthwhile and lasting. We have followed you with willing respect. We have taken pride in the increasing prestige that has come to the University because of your standing in the educational world.

Twenty-three years ago it took a real man and educator and administrator to rescue this institution from the slough of public disrespect and indifference, and to attempt to build a university worthy of the alumni, the students and the citizens of the state. At the present when you are ready to turn the job over to a younger man, you leave him a task that is in many ways

simpler, and less puzzling. I was about to say that you have done your work so well that almost any man could carry on. But of course that isn't true, for new times bring new problems and a great human institution must continue to grow, adapt itself to the needs of its constituency, and follow the gleam that leads to greater service.

We wish to thank you for what you have done for this institution, its faculty, its students, its alumni and its constituents. We are grateful especially because when, some years ago, the call came to you from the University of Missouri, attractive as that call was, you stayed on the job.

It would be fine if we could stop this aging process, at least in your case. There are some who could very well be allowed to age at an infinite rate, but there are others with whom time deals entirely too inconsiderately.

So, please accept our regard, our gratitude, and our best wishes at this time, and be assured that we shall try to carry on in your own spirit of helpfulness, and friendliness, and devotion to duty.

Cordially yours,
Paul P. Boyd, Dean.

To Receive Degrees



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They, along with Doctor and Mrs. McVey, will receive honorary degrees at commencement exercises, June 7.

McVey, Poteat To Speak To Graduates June 6, 7

Dr. Frank L. McVey will deliver his final address before a University graduating class as president when he speaks on "Turning the Page" during the 73rd commencement exercises at 6:30 p. m., Friday, June 7, on Stoll field.

Dr. and Mrs. McVey, Gov. Keen Johnson, University alumnus, and Justice Stanley Reed, member of the Supreme Court, will receive honorary degrees during the exercises.

Dr. Edwin McNeill Poteat, pastor of the Euclid Avenue Baptist church, Cleveland, Ohio, will deliver the baccalaureate address at 4 p. m., Thursday, June 6, in Memorial hall. Former professor of philosophy and ethics at the University of Shanghai and author of seven books in the fields of religious philosophy, ethics, and economics, he will speak on "Only Those Who Know."

The baccalaureate procession will form at 3:30 p. m. on the plaza between the Physics and Mining buildings and on the drive leading to the Administration building. At 6 p. m. Friday the commencement procession will form in the driveway at the rear of the Student Union building.

Visiting alumni will register from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Thursday, June 6 at the Student Union building and will be taken on a tour of the campus at 11 a. m. Reunion luncheons for members of classes ending in "5" and "0" are scheduled for noon, and the annual alumni banquet, at 6:30 p. m. in the Bluegrass room of the Student Union building.

McVey Receives Life Membership

In recognition of his service to the University, Lexington, and the state, the Lexington Lions club presented President Frank L. McVey an honorary life membership in Lions International last week.

Keep Off The Grass



Courtesy Lexington Leader
EDWIN M. POTEAT

Faculty Members Plan Dinner For Dr. McVey

The faculty and staff of the University will entertain with a dinner Tuesday night in the Bluegrass room of the Student Union building in honor of Dr. Frank L. McVey's 23 years of service.

Dean Sarah Blanding is in charge of the arrangements for the dinner.

To Play Pep Song

"On, On, U. of K." official pep song of the University, will be played under the direction of Bob Strong, musical director, on "Uncle Walter's Dog House" program at 8:30 p. m., Tuesday, June 4, over the National Broadcasting system. It was announced by sponsors of the program.

'Good Luck In Disguise' Motivated Him To Become Educator, And President

Financial Troubles Made Him Quit School For Work In Second Year

By VINCENT CROWDUS

It might be considered a queer piece of good luck in disguise that motivated Dr. Frank L. McVey to become an educator and eventually president here.

As a sophomore at Ohio Wesleyan, his alma mater, and with a legal profession apparently awaiting him, he was forced to quit school because of financial troubles and to seek gainful employment.

With only college sophomore work as a qualification, he became principal of a high school in a little prairie town, Orient, Ia., at a salary of \$45 a month. He taught all upper grades and his one assistant instructed the lower grades.

After one year as Orient's principal Doctor McVey returned to Ohio Wesleyan to complete his studies and become a history instructor. However, he changed from history to political economy and the social sciences, furthering his study at Yale where he received a Ph. D. degree.

Besides the Ph. D. degree from Yale and the A. B. from Ohio Wesleyan, Doctor McVey has LL.D. degrees from Ohio Wesleyan, University of Alabama, Transylvania, and Berea and L. H. D. degrees from Rollins college and the University of Louisville. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Gamma Delta, scholastic honorary fraternities.

Begins Career As Teacher
Although Doctor McVey was an instructor in history at Teachers' college, Columbia university, in 1895, his teaching career really began the following year when he was appointed an instructor in economics at the University of Minnesota. He rose rapidly from an instructor, to an assistant professor, and then to a full-fledged professor of economics.

In 1907 he left the University of Minnesota to become the first chairman of the Minnesota Tax commission. In 1909 he returned to the field of education as president of the University of North Dakota. After eight years there, he was summoned to take a similar position here.

Active As Writer
Doctor McVey did not limit his educational activities to the classroom. Immediately upon conclusion of his own curricular training, he plunged into the field of writing. While at Columbia, he divided his time between teaching and writing editorials for the now defunct Reform club, an organization for the interests of sound money and modified tariff.

As quickly as he became oriented at Minnesota he began writing a series of books in his chosen field of economics, besides a vast number of articles for periodicals. His

books include the "Populist Movement," published in 1896 "The History of Minnesota," 1901; "Modern Industrialism," 1904; "Transportation," 1910; "The Making of a Town," 1917; "The Economics of Business," 1917; and the "Financial History of Great Britain, 1914-1918."

Other literary activities by Doctor McVey include the editing of the "National Social Science Series" in 25 volumes, written by prominent men and women in the scientific field.

As an economist, outside the knowledge of economics imparted to his pupils, and service rendered on the Minnesota tax commission, he has done extensive work in social sciences, marketing and farm credits, advisory committees on agriculture, in industrial relations, and served as president of the Minneapolis Associate Charities from 1898 to 1907.

Lectured In Norway
Besides all this work, Doctor McVey still has found time to lecture. Among the universities at which he has appeared as a lecturer is the Royal Frederick university, Christiania, Norway, in 1912. In addition he has participated in educational surveys in Oklahoma, Indiana, Florida, North Carolina, and Kentucky.

After becoming president of the University, Doctor McVey extended his activities to still another field—that of athletics. When the South-eastern conference was formed from the old Southern group, Doctor McVey was named its first president, and in 1924 he was re-elected.

In 1933 he was chosen president of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools; in 1934, president of Land Grant Colleges and Universities; and once served as president of the Kentucky Educational association.

Born In Ohio
Doctor McVey was born in Wilmington, Ohio, November 10, 1869, the son of Alfred Henry and Anna McVey. He received most of his early education in that state and at Des Moines, Iowa, culminating his academic training with an A. B. degree from Ohio Wesleyan in 1893.

He married Miss Mabel Moore Sawyer of Minneapolis, September 21, 1898. Three children were born of that union, Virginia (Mrs. James Morris, Lexington), Frank LeRond, Jr., part-owner of Brock-McVey company, Lexington, and Janet (Mrs. Harry B. Tilton, Lexington). On April 19, 1922, Doctor McVey's first wife died.

The following year he married his dean of women, Mary Frances Jewell.

Sought By Other Universities
During his administration here, Doctor McVey has received numerous offers of presidencies at other universities. With the exception of one, he gave such propositions little thought.

In 1921 the University of Missouri

offered him a higher salary than he was receiving here. Feeling that the people of Kentucky held only a nominal interest in their university, President McVey was on the verge of accepting the proposal.

However, the state was stirred from its lethargy and literally swamped Doctor McVey with requests and pleas to remain. Lexington civic organizations presented a resolution stating:

"We recognize his worth as a broad-minded educator; we realize his value as a leader of men; we know that the loss of his personal magnetism will jeopardize the successful future of this wonderful educational institution. . . ."

So pleased was President McVey over the state response that he declined Missouri's offer and remained here.

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The Locker Room

By FRED HILL

When the umpire called the last "You're out!" on the Cincinnati diamond last night, he also called the close of Kentucky's 1939-40 athletic season. And in closing the season he banged shut the books on a lot of seniors who have hung around the Wildcat locker rooms for four or five long years.

Most of them you know. Their names have been plastered in print and scribbled on the walls a good many times. He finished the Wildcat careers of Joe Shepherd, captain of the grid squad. Bill McCubbin, Mickey Rouse, Southeastern conference basketball guard, and a long list of others, all of whom have gotten their much-deserved share of publicity.

He Stands In The Wings

But there is one man he signed out of Kentucky's sport history, who was condemned to remain in the wings of the stage during his stay in the Bluegrass, despite ambition and ability, because of something that happened a long time ago. That man is Andrew Michael Slatt.

Andy Slatt probably has more friends among the independents on the campus than any other one man. He is not a politician—neither is he a football, basketball, or track star. Instead he is what might be called an organizer. For Andy has captained an independent team in every sport which Bob Korgaard and his intramural department have sponsored in the last two years.

He Wins Trophy

Last year he collected a total of 90 points to breeze on with the Individual Participation Trophy handed out by the intramural department. This year he is battling it out with Emory Horn of Delta Tau Delta for proprietorship of that same trophy, and it's 8-6 he wins—despite the efforts of the Deltas to push their boy through.

His list of individual championships won is amazing. Last year he was winner of the 155-pound intramural boxing championship and handball singles and doubles tournaments.

This year, declared ineligible for boxing, he talked his friend Mike Hurwitz into teaching him to wrestle and in a week learned enough to beat out the rest of the 165-lb. field. And he repeated his handball victories.

Neither have his teams done bad for themselves. For two years Slatt's Independents have been independent softball champs. Last year they beat out the Alpha Sigs for top spot in the University. . . now they're just waiting on the outcome of the Alpha Gamma Rho-Phi Tau struggle to try for another win. And for two years they've been runners-up in basketball and touch football struggles.

"If he's that good, why haven't some of the varsity coaches gotten hold of him?" people ask. And the answer is a sad, sad story.

Used To Be Catcher

Four years ago Andy set out from his home in Butte, Montana, for the University of Portland (that's in Oregon) to play baseball. He was a catcher of no small renown, they say, coming from a baseball town and a baseball family. One of his brothers is on the freshman team at Notre Dame now.

Andy wasn't content to take it easy until spring, so he went out for freshman football, made the team, and his numerals. The baseball coaches didn't mind that much. But after football was over, he started boxing in amateur shows and just before spring came bounding over those Oregon hills he got his neck broken.

"That made 'em kinda mad," Andy says.

"I had to quit playing baseball then, so I gave up my scholarship and came out here to school. But don't ask me why I picked Kentucky," he added, "cause I don't know, unless I thought it would be warm here."

Here most of the coaches told him he was ineligible to compete in SEC competition, but Coach Joe Hudleston did let him come out for boxing. In 1939 and 1940 he lost only one bout—to a boy from Xavier where they specialize in slug-ging.

Andy graduates this year from the education college—where, of all things, he majored in French. He'd like to come back next year and get a degree in physical education, but the chances that he will are very, very slim. So, unless he does, we can only say "Good hunting," and send him a free armload of clean towels from the LOCKER ROOM.

INSTEAD OF DESPERATION . . .

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cerned? We should remember, in case worse comes to worse and Germany wins a quick victory and joins with Italy and Japan in partitioning the Old World, that history is one long story of "victors" fighting among themselves over the spoils of war and that the process will occur again. There is no jealousy, history has also shown, like the jealousy of one dictator of another.

AMERICA'S DUTY IN THE MEANTIME

In the meantime, we think it should be the aim and duty of this nation to weld the countries of the Western Hemisphere into a united Democratic Front stronger than a mere Monroe Doctrine or Good Neighbor group, and to plan for possible military and economic defenses, and to set about building them. In short, we should make this hemisphere a veritable citadel of Democracy—an outwardly tough brand of Democracy that maintains at the same time its inward liberties.

We must combat this hysteria, which now has an additional factor—with a brand-new name—to play upon: namely, the "Fifth Column." It is possible, we think, to guard against sabotage and governmental undermining without having to resort to methods of the OGPU and the Gestapo; surely the mechanisms of Democracy are adjustable enough to combat infiltrated fascism without resorting to the tactics of the fascists themselves. However, if we continue increasingly to be ruled by emotionalism, we will wind up fascist and will lose forever those civil liberties which Jefferson and Lincoln and Franklin Roosevelt himself have held necessary. It was hard enough even to recover partially our civil liberties after the witch-hunts of World War I. Any "next time" would be more so.

Therefore must we guard our liberties more closely than ever before, and show the rest of the world that Democracy is not necessarily clumsy, but that it, too, can be flexible and efficient.

The opinions expressed above are not solely those of the writer or of this newspaper, but are a composite of views we have heard expressed on this campus by students for a period of over two weeks. We are assured they are the beliefs of this student body, we sincerely believe them to be the views of this generation.

Professors Publish Spanish Grammar

"Beginners' Practical Spanish Grammar," the new Spanish text to be used at the University for the coming year, was recently written by Dr. H. B. Holmes and Dr. J. E. Hernandez, assistant professors of romance languages.

This text is a revision of the Grammatica Espanola Para Principiantes by Dr. Holmes which was used in mimeographed form in recent years. The drill exercises are motivated by line drawings which portray life activities in the first half of the book, and the second half consists of a short detective story.

Grammar rules are held to a minimum and are closely integrated with both drill exercises and the story. Both indirect and direct methods of teaching may be employed with the use of this book. The grammar is being published by the Trafton Publishing Company of Lexington.

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Senior Engineers Receive Positions

Three engineering students of the University have received positions of note following graduation this year.

Fred J. Fischer, senior in mechanical engineering, will work during a twelve week trial period in the Camera division of the Eastman Kodak company.

John Russell, senior in Metallurgical engineering, will go to work at the Wright Aeronautical corporation immediately after graduation, and George Kurachek, senior in Metallurgical engineering, will go to work at the Chrysler Motor corporation.

Varsity Men To Get Letters Athletic Awards To Be Given Friday

Letters will be awarded to University athletes who participated in winter and spring sports by Bernie Shively, athletic director, at the annual Lexington Alumni club athletic banquet at 6:30 p. m., Friday, in Lafayette hotel.

Among the honor guests at the banquet will be members of Kentucky's Southeastern Conference championship basketball team and the track, baseball, tennis, swimming, golf, boxing, and fencing squads.

The athletic council met yesterday afternoon to consider recommendations made by coaches in regard to letter-winners.

Miss Marguerite McLaughlin, president of the Alumni club, is in charge of the banquet, which is open to the public. Reservations may be made at the hotel.

Kampus Kernels

The Kentuckian office will be open Monday afternoon, June 3, and all day Tuesday, June 4, to all seniors and others who have not as yet received their yearbooks. Franklin Frazier, business manager, has announced. The office will be closed this week.

UNION NOTES

Today
Cwens, 4:30-5 p. m., Room 204.
Dinner in honor of Pres. Frank L. McVey, 7:30-9:30 p. m., Ballroom.
Lances, 5 p. m., Room 204.

Wednesday
SuKy, 5-6 p. m., Room 204.
Freshman week social committee, 4-5:30 p. m., Room 206.

What They Think

By BOB AMMONS

QUESTION

"Do you approve of the defense appropriation of over a billion dollars asked for by President Roosevelt recently?"

Millard Robbins, Graduate—"Yes, but at the same time we should have some committees organized to plan the expenditure carefully so we will get the most good from the money."

Bob Nickerson, Engineering senior—"Yes. Even as much as it is, it is just part of what we will eventually have to spend. If the Allies win, the appropriation can be changed."

Orville Meade, Ag senior—"Yes. Even if we aren't intending to enter the war just now, we should be prepared in case we are drawn in later."

Ernest Collins, Graduate—"Yes. Considering the way that Germany has run over the countries that are unprepared, it seems only sensible that the United States be prepared to meet any emergency like that."

SAE's Hold Intramural Lead

Softball Game For Greek Crown Is Postponed

Despite their determined effort to take the team trophy for the first time in the history of the intramural department, the Deltas' drive on the SAE margin has fallen short, for a check-up yesterday minus the results of track, golf, and horse-shoes, showed SAE holding 672 points to 510 for the Deltas.

Losses in the golf and baseball tournaments by the Deltas were the straws that broke the camel's back. If they had finished on top in both tournaments the chase would have been at least hopeful—with heavy scoring in horse-shoes and the track meet scheduled today. But only a miracle could give them anything close to the 100 points required for a win.

Arguments clouded the outcome of the Andy Slatt-Emory Horn duel for the individual participation trophy. Slatt took a heavy lead in the early stage of the race, but victories by Emory Horn in badminton and tennis doubles pulled him up within a few points of the leader, leaving the margin of difference in their participation in team sports.

Slatt has a chance to clinch the cup which he won last year by an overwhelming score, with a victory in the 440-yard dash today. In that, however, he will have to compete against Carl "Hoot" Combs who ran first in last year's meet and registered the lowest time in last week's preliminaries.

Due to controversy on the acceptability of some of the points given them, the records of both Horn and Slatt have not been made official, but will be re-checked by the intramural officials this week.

Track Meet Today

The intramural track meet, which was scheduled to be run off last Thursday, will be held this afternoon regardless of weather conditions. It was announced yesterday by Bob Korgaard. The meet had been postponed until Saturday afternoon, but rain forced another delay until today, which is the last in which it can be held.

Scheduled to begin at 4:00 o'clock, the meet will be held on Stoll field. Qualifying heats were run last Tuesday in the 100, 220, and 440 yard dashes, and the 70 yard low hurdles.

Six heats were run in the 100-yard dash with the following men: Zinn, Sigma Chi; Simon-ton, Lambda Chi; Hurst and Mit-

chell, Sigma Nu; Neely, Independent; and Alfrey, ATO.

Smashing through to wins in the 220 sprints were Hurst and Mitchell, Sigma Nu; Alfrey, ATO; Darnel, SAE; Neely, Independent; and Montgomery, SAE.

Winners in the 440 yard dash were Montgomery and Crutchfield, SAE; Gorman, Pi Kaps; Combs, Delta Taus, and Slatt and Althaus, Independents, while coming through in the 70 yard low hurdles were Davis and Jones, Independents; Posey, ATO; and Adair, SAE.

Golf Play Completed

Play was completed in the golf doubles tournament when Palmer and Fraser, Pi Kappa Alpha, won over the Deltas Mylor and Kelly for the title. The semi-final round has been reached in the singles division, with the Phi Tau's Cottrell, Delta Taus Kelly, ATO's Fowler, and the Independent's Duple scheduled to battle it out for the championship.

In the tennis tourney, Delta Taus Horn and Moore won a hard earned victory over SAE's Nash and Lowry in a match which had to go five sets. The scores were 2-6, 2-6, 9-7, 6-2, 6-3. Nash, SAE, advanced into the final round by turning back a fellow frat member, Lowry, and will meet Phi Delta's Gaines, who won his way into the finals with a win over Gray of the Kappa Sigs.

Softball Postponed

The championship battle between the Alpha Gamma Rhos and the Phi Taus for the Greek softball title scheduled for yesterday, was postponed until Thursday when a hard downpour of rain made playing conditions impossible. The winner of this game will meet the Slatt's Independents, winners over the Law College, for the intramural championship.

The AGRs and the Phi Taus won their way into the final spots with victories over the Sigma Nus and Alphas, respectively.

Andy Slatt's Independents won their way into the intramural finals with a close 6-4 win over the Law College.

Sports Staff Picks All-Star Softball Team

There's a slang expression for this. They call it "sticking your neck out." But after coming to the conclusion that there should be some way of recognizing good shows even in the intramural department and after talking to some of the managers and umpires The Kernel Sports staff has picked its softball all-tournament teams.

All-Greek team:

Player	Position
Casner, Delta Tau Delta	Catcher
Stokely, Phi Tau	P
Rennaker, AGR	D
Splaine, Sigma Nu	1b
Frank Clark, AGR	2b
Cottrell, Phi Tau	ss
Orme, Kappa Sigma	3b
Womack, Kappa Sigma	f
Harris, Sigma Nu	f
Hursey, AGR	f
Bicknell, Phi Tau	f

All-Independent team:

Player	Position
Knox, Slatt's Independents	C
Brown, Slatt's Independents	P
Mason, K Club	D
Buchanan, Slatt's Independents	1b
Allen, K Club	2b
Jones, K Club	ss
Prezza, Lee's A. C.	3b
Collins, Lee's A. C.	f
Spickard, Slatt's Independents	f
Paris, Slatt's Independents	f
Lee, Lee's A. C.	f

Life Pamphlets Still Available In Kernel Office

Several issues of "Background for War," Time magazine supplement which was distributed with a last semester issue of The Kernel, are still available in The Kernel editorial office. In view of the present European situation, this publication should be interesting and helpful. Students may obtain copies by asking for them in the editorial office.

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